


### REMARKS

Applicants have amended the specification to correct SEQ ID NOs and to insert the sequence listing. No new matter is added.

### CONCLUSION

On the basis of the foregoing amendment and remarks, Applicants respectfully submit, that the pending claims are in condition for allowance. If there are any questions regarding these amendments and remarks, the Examiner is encouraged to contact the undersigned at the telephone number provided below.

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